

REMARKS

The present Amendment is being presented to correct a typographical error on line 1 of claim 1. The above described amendments do not change the scope of the claims nor require further consideration and/or search on the part of the Examiner. The amendments simply improve the language recited in the claims. Entry of this amendment is respectfully requested.

To the extent necessary an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. section 1.136. Please charge any shortage in the fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, to Deposit Account of MATTINGLY, STANGER, MALUR & BRUNDIDGE, P.C., deposit account No. 50-1417 (Case No. 501.39485X00) and please credit any excess fees to such Deposit Account.

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